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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: RESISTANCE-CHANGING FUNCTION  
BODY AND MANUFACTURING METHOD  
THEREFOR

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**AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated November 14, 2007, finally rejecting claims 8, 33, 34, 37-41, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.